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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Charles H. Burdette

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For: Surgical Drill Chuck

Docket No. 60210-233

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 3, 2005, Applicant elects claims 1-14, drawn to a surgical drill chuck, classified in class 279, subclass 62.

Respectfully submitted,

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